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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

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COURSE ACTIVITIES

1. Midcareer Course

Phase II of the Midcareer Course began on 4 October at [] 25X1A6a
with presentations by Messrs. [] and Maury. An
informal evening session followed, during which the three speakers
fielded questions about problems--past, present and future--facing the
Intelligence Community.

Both the DDI and the DDP participated in this week's program.
The staff felt that Mr. Karamessines' presentation was among the finest
he has made in recent runnings of the Midcareer Course.

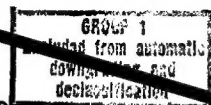
Charles A. Meyer, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American
Affairs, has accepted our invitation to speak in Headquarters on the
final day of the course, 5 November.

2. Intelligence and World Affairs

The students in the IWA (Intelligence and World Affairs) course
continue to show a positive and stimulating attitude toward the course
as demonstrated in lecture and discussions. This has been evident
both in the sections dealing with CIA and its functions and those dealing
with substantive matters.

3. USSR Country Survey

Low registration and the pressure of other course commitments
led to our postponement of the 2 week USSR Country Survey from the
scheduled date (12-22 October) to a later one (29 November-10 December).
There were no problems with the registrants.



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4. After-Hours Geography Course

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[redacted], Training Officer of NPIC, IAS Training Officer, and [redacted] IAS Personnel Officer, on Thursday morning regarding an after-hours Geography of Communist China course that both components have requested be given in [redacted]. We had previously agreed to give such a course. We plan to give the course from 9 November to 21 December on Tuesdays and Thursdays, probably from 1530 to 1800. Messrs. [redacted] indicated that enrollment for this course might run as high as 30. This course may draw some enrollees away from our regular course beginning 1 November at C of C Bldg.

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5. Orientation for Overseas

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The Office of Communications sent an observer to our OO which ran on 6 and 7 October to compare the OO curriculum with the one-week SWOOP which OC puts on twice a year [redacted] for outbound employees and wives. The observer, [redacted] that OC would like to use the OO for personnel who cannot be scheduled for a SWOOP class, for example, occasional Headquarters staffers.

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The only other DDS component which has not made use of the OO is the Office of Logistics. Marc discussed the revised OO a year ago with OL's Training Officer, [redacted] and C/Pers [redacted] both of whom said the OO did not appear to duplicate in-house briefings for departees. They further stated that the CS component training officers were enrolling OL employees and wives in the OO, but Marc reports that none have appeared in his classes to date.

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BRIEFING ACTIVITIES

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1. [redacted] provided the following:

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a. On 1 October, at a safehouse, on the National Security Structure and CIA, for two [redacted]

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c. On 6 October, at Headquarters, on CIA, for the newly-assigned DCM to Brazil.

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d. On 7 October, Headquarters, on CIA, for the Chief of the [redacted] his security chief, and two other aides. Also in attendance were two USAF officers and two CIA officers. The General, who is in the US as Admiral Moorer's guest, was made available to us to satisfy his request for a briefing on CIA. Since he has an ulcer, we provided the General with milk during the coffee break. He commented that the US had excellent milk--also excellent biographic intelligence.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. Tutorial Training for Non-Official Cover Asset

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[redacted] each conducted a half-day session with a non-official cover asset undergoing training with Agent and Liaison Training/Operations School. He is destined for the Arab world. The subjects, at the request of the man and of [redacted] who is handling the case were: (1) [redacted]-Chinese political scene today and (2) [redacted] Communism and the Arab World.

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2. Agency Slot for USIA's International Communication Course

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USIA's offer of a free slot in the 18 October class in its International Communication Course has surfaced definite interest in OTR and the CA Staff, but [redacted] survey of the prospects for a candidate for this running has had negative results. At C/OS' suggestion, Marc met with the DC/CA [redacted] on 8 October for the purpose of filling him in on USIA's offer of a free slot in the class. He went into the subject in some depth with Marc and agreed that this course does have special significance for CA-type tasks.

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At [redacted] request, Marc has determined that the next offering of the USIA course comes along in mid-March 1972 and will report this to him. At the same time, Marc advised the course chairman, Dr. Frank [redacted], that CIA probably would not be able to take advantage of his offer for the 18 October class. [redacted] said he was confident that the offer would be renewed for the following class.

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